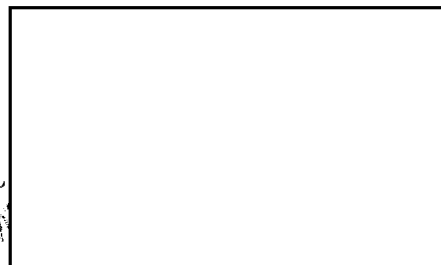


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On the occasion of your retirement, I am sending you this personal message in recognition of long and effective service to your Government.

You have served your country loyally and faithfully for more than thirty-two years. This period includes service with the War Department, Department of Labor, and the Department of Justice as well as with this Agency.

Your expert and intimate knowledge of immigration laws, regulations, and procedures applied throughout your nine years of service with this Agency has contributed in great measure to the successful accomplishment of our responsibilities in alien affairs. You can take just pride in the knowledge that the devotion and perseverance which you have displayed throughout your career have been consistent with the high ideals and traditions of Federal service.

Along with your many friends here in the Agency, I extend best wishes for full enjoyment of the coming years.

Sincerely,

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Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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Originator: */s/ Emmett D. EchoIs*  
Director of Personnel

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28 MAR 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Commendatory Retirement Letter

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1. Attached for your signature is a commendatory letter for [REDACTED] who plans to retire from the Agency 30 April 1961 under the optional provisions of the Civil Service Retirement Act.

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2. [REDACTED] who is sixty years old, entered on duty 17 March 1952 with the Inspection and Security Office and is now [REDACTED] GS-15, Office of Security. Prior to his Agency service, [REDACTED] was employed by the War Department, Department of Labor, and the Department of Justice. He has over thirty-two years of Federal service.

3. The Office of Security concurs in the writing of this letter.

/s/ Emmett D. Echols

Emmett D. Echols  
Director of Personnel